Registration Form European Bioenerau Business Forum 2006

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Registration fee

Fee includes access to conference, documentation, coffee breaks, reception, conference dinner on 6.11 and light lunch on 7.11.

O for members of the 25 associations of AEBIOM: € 450 *

O for non-members : €550

* You can become member of your national bioenergy association that is member of AEBIOM. See list of associations and contact details on: www.aebiom.org German attendees can also become member of CarbonFix e.V.. Details on: www.CarbonFix.de

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Place, Date and Signature

Kindly return this form before 15 October:

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Conference Information

Location of the conference

Representation of Baden-Württemberg in the EU Rue Belliard 60 – 62, 1040 Brussels

Cancellation policy

Cancellation in writing before 26 October will be subject to a €25 administrative charge only. Full fee applies after 26 October. Substituted delegate is accepted at any time with prior notification.

Conference language

English

Hotel accommodation

EBBF can help you for hotel reservation. Reduced rates through EBBF. Early reservation will ensure a hotel location closer to the conference place.

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European Legislation to Promote Bioenergy







EU legislation drives bioenergy

The bioenergy market is currently boosted by the oil price. All applications are growing rapidly, for bioheat, bioelectricity or transportation biofuels. Bioenergy is facing major challenges like biofuels supply or market development and new technologies are emerging.

European policy has a major influence on the bioenergy sector. EU policy sets the framework conditions whose impacts on the development of bioenergy can be both positive and negative. EU has decided to put emphasis on bioenergy and has never been so productive (Biomass Action Plan and its key actions, liquid biofuels directive and its current revision, etc.). Implementation of these EU policies into national regulations is a key process to make bioenergy competitive and it is likely that in the future new schemes will develop.

This high profile conference, organised in the Representation of Baden-Württemberg, will provide opportunities to identify key EU trends for bioenergy. There are excellent opportunities to engage in direct communication with outstanding speakers from the Parliament, the Commission and relevant international organisations. The conference will be especially useful to those engaged in business.

Organiser

The European Bioenergy Business Forum -



Dr. Manfred Vohrer Chairman EBBF – is a non profit organisation created under the patronage of two international organisations, the European Biomass Association – AEBIOM – and Carbonfix e.V., a NGO active in climate change.

MONDAY - 6 NOVEMBER

13.00 Registration

Opening Session

- 14.00 Welcome address and introduction

 Dr. Manfred Vohrer EBBF-Chairman
 and Dr. Heinz Kopetz, AEBIOM-President
- 14.10 "The Regional View of Bioenergy the Contribution of Baden-Württemberg besides National and European Activities"

Richard Drautz, Staatssekretär, Wirtschaftsministerium Baden-Württemberg

Session of EU-Commission and Parliament Agriculture

- 14.30 "Integration of biofuels into the EU agriculture policy"

 Bruno Buffaria, Head of Unit, Arable crops, sugar, animal feed, DG Agriculture
- 14.55 "Growing importance of biomass in agriculture production"

 Neil Parish, MEP Rapporteur on Bioenergy, Agriculture Committee
- 15.20 Questions Answers
- 15.30 Coffee Break

Energy

- 16.00 "Objectives and measures of the EU-Biomass Action Plan"
 Paul Hodson, unit "Regulatory policy and promotion of renewable energy", DG Energy and Transport
- 16.25 "Initiatives of the European Parliament to double the share of Bioenergy"

 Mechthild Rothe, MEP, Rapporteur on Renewable Energy, Energy Committee
- 16.50 Questions Answers

Environment

- 17.00 "Emission Trading possibilities for bioenergy to generate certificates"

 Damien Meadows, Deputy head of unit, Market based instruments, DG Environment
- 17.25 "Initiatives of the European Parliament to encourage biomass in the ETS"
 Anders Wijkman, MEP, Rapporteur on EU-Emission Trading Scheme
- 17.50 Questions Answers

19.00 Reception at European Parliament

Possibilities for consultation with the speakers or visit of European Parliament

20.00 Dinner in the Restaurant of the Parliamentarians

"Biomass – a priority in the EU energy strategy" Andris Piebalgs, Energy Commissioner, Dinner-Speech

TUESDAY - 7 NOVEMBER

Session large scale vs. decentralised bioenergy Large scale projects

- 09.00 "First industrial BtL plant in Freiberg"
 Bodo Wolf, Founder and Consultant, Choren
- 09.20 "Retrofitting a coal power plant to pellets:
 a European premiere in Belgium"

 Yves Ryckmans. Electrabel
- 09.40 "Logistic challenges Biomass instead of Oil"

 Wijnand Schonewille, Project manager for industrial development, Port of Rotterdam
- 10.00 Questions Answers

Decentralised technical solutions

- 10.20 "Booming market for small scale boilers" Herbert Ortner, ÖkoFEN Pelletsheizung
- 10.40 Coffee Break
- 11.00 "Challenges in production and distribution of pellets"

 Åke Andersson, Råsjö Torv/SÅBI AB
- 10.20 "Decentralised or large scale concepts: Preferences in the EU industrial policy?" Per-Ove Engelbrecht, Head of Unit, Forest based and related industries, DG Enterprise
- 10.40 Questions Answers

Session on financing strategies

- 12.00 "Private Banking for Bioenergy Plants" Kaj Morlock, Vice President LB=BW, Project Finance - Energy
- 12.20 "Concepts from an Investment Bank in the Renewables Sector"
 Felix Ernst, Relationship Management Energy & Utilities, Deutsche Bank AG
- 12.40 Questions Answers
- 13.00 Light Lunch and Drinks